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Title: REAGENTS AND IMMUNOASSAY FOR THE DETECTION AND QUANTITATIVE DETERMINATION OF MYCOTHIOL AND PRECURSORS THEREOF

Commissioner of Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed April 4, 2002, please consider the following remarks and amendments.

| CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR §1.8 | |
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| I hereby certify that the documents referred to as enclosed herein are being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail on this date, August 19, 2002 , in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231. | |
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